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# KEYSTONE



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## PLANT MORE LEGUMES

The desirability of increased seedings of annual legumes and hay is stressed in the 1931 Crop Outlook Report issued today by the United States Department of Agriculture, in which it is pointed out that increases in the world acreage devoted to grain crops and large-scale farming is making it increasingly difficult to produce grains at a profit on many types of land.

The salvation of the farmer, particularly in the drought areas, it is indicated, lies largely in the line of increased plantings of annual legumes and grasses for forage, pasture, and hay, which offer immediate cash returns and a means of overcoming the existing feed shortage, as well as to pave the way for permanent improvement of the farm situation.

Probabilities that the price of wheat will remain low are referred to by the Department as grounds for devoting greatly increased acreage to annual legumes and hay crops. These crops are "cash crops" in the truest sense of the term this year, and will result in an immediate increase in the farmer's buying power, as well as meeting his own needs for animal feed.

The diversion to such other crops of land on which wheat can be raised only at high cost and often without profit, it is brought out by the Report, will also assist in solving the perplexing problem of

the wheat surplus. Further, it is pointed out, there has been a definite increase in livestock, particularly in cattle and sheep, in recent years, warranting an increase in alfalfa and other legume hays. Also, in some of the areas in which dairy cows are largely raised, they are under-supplied with legume hay, which, to a great extent, can replace expensive, high-protein commercial feeds.

Much of the area in last spring's legume and grass seeding is either burned out entirely or is so badly injured that recovery cannot be expected within a full year's time. As a result, hay and pasture crops are shortened to a dangerous point, supplies of forage are low or gone entirely and an even greater shortage threatens unless legumes and grasses can be restored. Hay is relatively high in market value, current price induces placing this commodity in a most favorable position. Grain prices, on the other hand, are at an unprofitable level, and all interested agencies are unqualifiedly advocating reduction in spring wheat acreage.

With this condition, the Crop Outlook Report indicates that it is urgent that plans be made immediately to replace the shortage by arranging for the sowing of grasses and annual legumes as soon as the season permits. Not only will this promise a sufficient hay crop for 1931, it is pointed out, but it will provide a definite and practical means of securing permanent relief.

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List No. 4

ALL PRICES F. O. B. ST. LOUIS

Feb. 5 1931

RED CLOVER	10 Sacks & Over	5 to 9 Sacks	1 to 4 Sacks
Seamless Sacks Extra			
Self Nitragin			
MEDIUM (DOMESTIC)			
KEYSTONE	28.50	26.75	27.00
BUSHNELL BANNER	28.50	26.75	27.00
Horse Shoe	25.00	25.25	25.50
Choice	22.00	22.25	22.50

ALFALFA	10 Sacks & Over	5 to 9 Sacks	1 to 4 Sacks
Seamless Sacks Extra			
Self Nitragin			
KEYSTONE	27.50	27.75	28.00
BUSHNELL BANNER	27.50	27.75	28.00

ALSIKE CLOVER	10 Sacks & Over	5 to 9 Sacks	1 to 4 Sacks
Seamless Sacks Extra			
Self Nitragin			
KEYSTONE	24.25	24.50	24.75
BUSHNELL BANNER	24.25	24.50	24.75
Horse Shoe	23.00	23.25	23.50

SWEET CLOVER	10 Sacks & Over	5 to 9 Sacks	1 to 4 Sacks
Seamless Sacks Extra			
Self Nitragin			
WHITE BLOSSOM			
(L. arvalis)			
KEYSTONE, Scarified	9.25	9.35	9.50
BUSHNELL BANNER	9.25	9.35	9.50
Horse Shoe Scarified	8.75	8.85	9.00
Choice Scarified	8.00	8.10	8.25
Grundy County Dwarf	9.25	9.35	9.50
UNHULLED	6.75	6.85	7.00

YELLOW BLOSSOM	10 Sacks & Over	5 to 9 Sacks	1 to 4 Sacks
(Biennial)			
KEYSTONE	9.25	9.35	9.50
BUSHNELL BANNER	9.25	9.35	9.50
Horse Shoe			

ALFALFA	10 Sacks & Over	5 to 9 Sacks	1 to 4 Sacks
Seamless Sacks Extra			
Bushel Bags - Included			
KEYSTONE	19.50	19.75	20.00
BUSHNELL BANNER	19.50	19.75	20.00
Kansas Grown Non-Irrigated	26.00	26.25	26.50
Dakota " No. 12	25.00	25.25	25.50
Montana	19.00	19.25	19.50
Oklahoma Grown	34.00	34.25	34.50
Grimm, State Sealed	19.00	19.25	19.50
Horse Shoe	25.00	25.25	25.50
BEE HIVE	25.00	25.25	25.50
Utah Grown - 1 Bushel Sealed Bags			
BUNNY BRAND			
Kansas Grown	19.50	19.75	20.00

TIMOTHY	10 Sacks & Over	5 to 9 Sacks	1 to 4 Sacks
Seamless Sacks Extra			
KEYSTONE	10.75	10.85	11.00
BUSHNELL BANNER	10.75	10.85	11.00
Horse Shoe	10.50	10.60	10.75
Choice	10.00	10.10	10.25
Timothy & Alsike Mixed	11.50	11.60	11.75

RED TOP	10 Sacks & Over	5 to 9 Sacks	1 to 4 Sacks
Seamless Sacks Extra			
KEYSTONE	25.00	25.10	25.35
BUSHNELL BANNER	25.00	25.10	25.35
Horse Shoe	23.50	23.60	23.85
Choice	22.00	22.10	22.35

DWARF ESSEX RAPE	10 Sacks & Over	5 to 9 Sacks	1 to 4 Sacks
Bags Included			
KEYSTONE	5.00	5.05	5.25
BUSHNELL BANNER	5.00	5.05	5.25
Japan	15.00	15.25	15.50
Korean	35.00	35.50	36.00

SUNFLOWER	10 Sacks & Over	5 to 9 Sacks	1 to 4 Sacks
Bags Included			
Recleaned (Seed)	4.75	4.85	5.00
Poultry	3.60	3.60	3.75

SEED GRAIN	10 Sacks & Over	5 to 9 Sacks	1 to 4 Sacks
Bags Included			
Self CERESAN with all seed grains			
CERESAN treatment pays			
RYE			
Common	.73	.75	.78
Rosen	.90	.92	.95
Abruzzi	2.00	2.05	2.10
WHEAT, Fultz (Sx Extra)			
OATS			
Winter Tuff	.85	.87	.95
Fulghum	.60	.62	.70
Red Rust Proof	.60	.62	.70
White	.55	.57	.65
Burt	.55	.57	.65
BARLEY, Common	1.00	1.02	1.05

MISCELLANEOUS	10 Sacks & Over	5 to 9 Sacks	1 to 4 Sacks
Canada Field Peas	4.75	4.85	5.10
Kaffir Corn (Seed)	2.00	2.10	2.25
Milo Maize (Seed)			
Broomcorn-Dwarf	5.00	5.10	5.40
Broomcorn-Standard	5.00	5.10	5.40
Castor Beans	14.50	14.75	15.00
Hairy Vetch	9.50	9.60	10.00
Austrian Winter Peas	7.25	7.35	7.50

CANE (For Fodder)	10 Sacks & Over	5 to 9 Sacks	1 to 4 Sacks
Black Amber	3.00	3.05	3.25
Orange Sourless	3.00	3.05	3.25
Orange Red	3.10	3.15	3.35
Amber (Syrup Strain)	5.00	5.55	5.75

MILLET	10 Sacks & Over	5 to 9 Sacks	1 to 4 Sacks
KEYSTONE			
BUSHNELL BANNER			
Tenn. Cult.	4.60	4.65	4.90
German (Kansas)	4.35	4.40	4.60
White Wonder			
Common	3.35	3.40	3.60
Hog	2.00	2.05	2.25

COWPEAS	10 Sacks & Over	5 to 9 Sacks	1 to 4 Sacks
Bags Included			
Whip-poor-will	2.60	2.65	2.85
Brabrams			
Black	2.75	2.80	3.00
New Eras	2.40	2.45	2.65
Mixed	2.25	2.30	2.50
Clay Mixed			

SUDAN	10 Sacks & Over	5 to 9 Sacks	1 to 4 Sacks
Bags Included			
KEYSTONE	7.50	7.60	7.75
BUSHNELL BANNER	7.50	7.60	7.75
Choice	7.25	7.35	7.50

BLUE GRASS	10 Sacks & Over	5 to 9 Sacks	1 to 4 Sacks
Bags Included			
KEYSTONE	36.00	36.25	37.00
BUSHNELL BANNER	36.00	36.25	37.00
Fancy	34.75	35.00	35.75
Canadian	30.00	30.25	31.00

LAWN AND GOLF COURSE GRASSES	10 Sacks & Over	5 to 9 Sacks	1 to 4 Sacks
Bags Included			
KEYSTONE CITY LAWN	25.00	25.25	26.00
Shady Lawn Mixture	35.00	35.25	36.00
American Rye	7.00	7.10	7.50
Italian Rye Imported	10.00	10.25	11.00
English Perennial Rye	9.50	9.75	10.50
Paceys English Rye	12.00	12.25	13.00
Chewings Fescue	40.00	40.25	41.00
South German			
Creeping Bent	95.00	97.00	100.00
Poa Trivialis	45.00	47.00	50.00
[Shade Grass]			
Red Fescue	30.00	30.25	31.00
Hard Fescue			
Sheeps Fescue			
Bermuda	28.00	28.25	29.00

OTHER GRASSES	10 Sacks & Over	5 to 9 Sacks	1 to 4 Sacks
Bags Included			
Orchard Grass	16.50	16.75	17.25
Pasture Grass	13.00	13.25	14.00
Meadow Fescue	12.00	12.25	13.00
Johnson Grass	11.50	11.75	12.50

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WE HAVE A DIRECT LONG DISTANCE WIRE FROM THE  
LONG DISTANCE TERMINAL TO OUR PRIVATE EXCHANGE

SEED CORN	per bu.	25 Bags or Over	10 Bags or Over	5 Bags or Over	Less
Commercial quality Double machine cleaned with Butts and Tips removed 2 1/2 bushel bags, Bags included					
All Grown in Missouri and Acclimated to the St. Louis and Southern Territory, Germination 90% to 96%.					
Reid's Yellow Dent	1.20	1.25	1.35	1.60	
Gold Mine, Extra Large Kernel	1.25	1.30	1.40	1.55	
Leaming	1.20	1.25	1.35	1.50	
Silver Mine	1.20	1.25	1.35	1.50	
White Dent	1.20	1.25	1.35	1.50	
St. Charles Red Cob	1.30	1.35	1.45	1.60	
Tenn. Red Cob	1.30	1.35	1.45	1.60	
90 Day Yellow	1.25	1.30	1.40	1.55	

SEED CORN	per bu.	25 Bags or Over	10 Bags or Over	5 Bags or Over	Less
Hand Selected, Hand Butted and Tipped 2 1/2 bushel bags, Bags included					
Especially Selected for Adaptability, Productivity and Purity of Strain					
Reid's Yellow Dent	2.20	2.25	2.35	2.50	
Gold Mine	2.20	2.25	2.35	2.50	
Leaming	2.20	2.25	2.35	2.50	
Boone Co. White	2.20	2.25	2.35	2.50	
90 Day Yellow	2.20	2.25	2.35	2.50	
Silver Mine White	2.20	2.25	2.35	2.50	
Hickory King	2.45	2.50	2.60	2.75	

SOYBEANS	per bu.	25 Bags or Over	10 Bags or Over	5 Bags or Over	Less
Virginia	2.00	2.10	2.20	2.35	
Wilson	2.45	2.55	2.65	2.80	
Ebony	2.20	2.30	2.40	2.55	
Laredo	3.30	3.40	3.50	3.65	
Manchu	1.40	1.50	1.60	1.75	
Illini	1.40	1.50	1.60	1.75	
Mammoth Yellow	1.95	2.05	2.15	2.30	
Midwest	1.60	1.70	1.80	1.95	
Mixed (For Hay)	1.50	1.60	1.70	1.85	

WHITE DUTCH CLOVER	per 100 lbs.	5 Sacks Orn	1 to 4 Sacks	Less
Bags Extra				
Full Sacks				
25 lbs. to 100 lbs.				
KEYSTONE	42.00	44.00	49.00	
BUSHNELL BANNER	42.00	44.00	49.00	
Horse Shoe	39.00	41.00	46.00	
Choice	34.00	36.00	41.00	

POP CORN and Peanuts	per 100 lbs.	5 Sacks Orn	1 to 4 Sacks	Less
POPCORN				
White Rice	5.50	6.00	6.25	
Jap. Hull-less	6.25	6.50	6.75	
PEANUTS, Fancy Jumbo	13.00	13.50	15.00	

DATED - Fresh Each Year	per 100 lbs.	5 Sacks Orn	1 to 4 Sacks	Less
The Original Legume INOCULATOR				
PRICES				
Alfalfa, All Clovers				
Size Dealer Retail				
1/2 bu. .... \$ .30 \$ .40				
1 bu. .... .45 .60				
1 1/2 bu. .... .70 1.00				
5 bu. .... 3.35 4.75				
When ordering, always specify kind of seed				
Peas, Vetch, Beans				
Austrian Winter Peas				
Size Dealer Retail				
1/2 bu. .... \$ .30 \$ .40				
1 bu. .... .45 .60				
1 1/2 bu. .... .70 1.00				
5 bu. .... 3.35 4.75				
*Also called "100 lb. size."				
Soy Beans and Cow Peas				
1 bu. .... \$ .30 \$ .40				
2 bu. .... .50 .70				
5 bu. .... \$1.05 \$1.50				
10 bu. .... 1.75 2.50				

BIRD SEED	per 100 lbs.	5 Sacks Orn	1 to 4 Sacks	Less
Canary (Morocco)	7.00	7.10	7.50	
Hemp	4.50	4.60	5.00	
Bird Millet	2.00	2.25	3.00	
Bird Rape (Sweet)	8.00	8.50	9.50	
Bird Thistle	22.00	23.00	25.00	
Mixed Bird Seed	7.50	8.00	9.00	
Poppy or Maw	20.00	22.00	25.00	
Cuttle Fish Bone [per case 25 lbs. 7.00]			30.00	

ONION SETS	per lb.	per 100 lbs.
2 Bushel burlap bags extra at 5c each		
For Immediate Shipment		
Dark Red, Yellow and Brown	\$2.15	
White	2.55	
Write for Prices for Future Delivery		
per lb. per 100 lbs.		
Polato Onion Sets	.10	8.50

CLIPPER FAN MILLS	per 100 lbs.
No. 1B with 12 Screens, Net each	30.00
No. 2B " " " " each	37.00
Both Equipped With Screen Vibrator	
FOR FERTILIZERS	
See other side	

# SEMESAN

A General Disinfectant for Vegetable and Flower Seeds or Bulbs, and Certain Plant Diseases.

Sizes of Packages	Retail Price Per Pkg.	Dealer Price	Pkgs. Per Case
2-oz. tin	\$ .50	\$ 4.00 per doz.	3 doz.
1-lb. "	2.75	22.00 " "	2 "
5-lb. "	13.00	104.00 " "	1 1/2 "
25-lb. pail	56.25	45.00 per pkg.	1 only
100-lb. drum	220.00	176.00 " "	1 "
300-lb. "	645.00	516.00 " "	1 "

# SEMESAN JR.

A Dust Disinfectant for Seed Corn.

Sizes of Packages	Retail Price Per Pkg.	Dealer Price	Pkgs. Per Case
4-oz. tin	\$ .50	\$ 4.00 per doz.	3 doz.
1-lb. "	1.75	14.00 " "	2 "
5-lb. "	8.00	64.00 " "	1 1/2 "
25-lb. pail	31.25	25.00 per pkg.	1 only
100-lb. drum	120.00	96.00 " "	1 "
300-lb. "	345.00	276.00 " "	1 "

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# NEW IMPROVED SEMESAN BEL

An Instantaneous Dip Disinfectant for Seed Potatoes

Sizes of Packages	Retail Price Per Package	Dealer Price	Packages Per Case
4-oz. tin	\$ .50	\$ 4.00 per doz.	3 doz.
1-lb. "	1.75	14.00 " "	2 "
5-lb. "	8.00	64.00 " "	1 1/2 "
25-lb. pail	31.25	25.00 per pkg.	1 only
100-lb. drum	120.00	96.00 " "	1 "
300-lb. "	345.00	276.00 " "	1 "

# CERESAN

A Dust Disinfectant for Wheat, Oats, Barley, other Cereals and Cotton

Sizes of Packages	Retail Price Per Pkg.	Dealer Price	Pkgs. Per Case
8-oz. tin	\$ .50	\$ 4.00 per doz.	3 doz.
1-lb. "	.75	6.00 " "	2 "
5-lb. "	3.00	24.00 " "	1 1/2 "
25-lb. pail	12.50	10.00 per pkg.	1 only
100-lb. drum	49.00	39.20 " "	1 "
300-lb. "	144.00	115.20 " "	1 "

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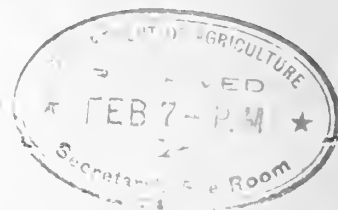
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## VIGORO

	To Dealer	Retail
100 lb. Sack	\$3.50	\$5.00
50 lb. "	2.00	3.00
25 lb. "	1.15	1.75
5 lb. (14 to case)	4.62	7.00
12 oz. (36 to case)	2.16	3.60

## FERTILIZERS

Ten Bag Lots at Ton Prices	100 lbs. per ton
2-12-4 For Grain.....	2.00 37.50
Bone Meal, 1 1/4-29-0.....	2.75 44.00
Prepared Sheep Manure.....	1.75 29.50
Nitrate of Soda.....	4.00 76.00
Tobacco Dust [Broken Sacks (at 500)]	3.50 45.00
16% Superphosphate.....	27.50
125 lb. Bags each \$2.00	

## PEAT MOSS

(Imported from Germany)	per bale
Bales contain 20 bushels—Weight 135 to 150 lbs.	
25 Bales or over	1 to 8 Bales
Fine Ground	2.75 3.00 3.25
Poultry Litter	2.75 3.00 3.25
Small bales—weight about 25 lbs.	
Fine Ground	.75 .80 .85

## CHARCOAL

Charcoal, [For Poultry]	100 lbs. per ton
Ten Bag Lots at Ton Prices	2.50 50.00